## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Revenue (DM) Department – Summer, 2015 – Deaths due to Heat Waves / Sun Stroke–C.M's Announcement of ex-gratia @ Rs.1.00 lakh each– Payment of Ex-gratia – Permission to the District Collectors to draw the funds under TR-27 wherever there is urgency – Orders – Issued.

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## REVENUE (DISASTER MANAGEMENT-II) DEPARTMENT

## G.O Rt. No.78,

<u>Dated:28.05.2015.</u> Read the following:-

- 1. Memo. No.37290/DM.I/A1/2012, Revenue (DM.I) Dept., dt.29.05.2013.
- 2. Memo. No.631/DM.II/A1/2015, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt.22.05.2015.
- 3. Daily reports from the District Collectors regarding heat wave/sun stroke deaths.
- 4. G.O Rt.No.75, Revenue (DM.II) Department, dt.26.05.2015.

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## **ORDER:**

The District Collectors have reported a number of deaths due to heat waves / sun strokes during Summer 2015. As on today, the number of deaths reported is 1020, Hon'ble CM has announced ex-gratia of Rs.1.00 Lakh for each case of death due to heat waves / sun stroke from Chief Minister Relief Fund (CMRF) and orders were issued in reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above.

- 2. In this regard a number of District Collectors has informed that they are not having sufficient funds to make payment of ex-gratia and obtaining funds from CMRF may take some time.
- 3. Government have examined the issue in detail under Treasury Rules, 27 (TR-27) wherein the following provision has been made:
- "A Collector may, in circumstances of urgency, by an order in writing authorize and require a Treasury Officer to make a payment, not being a payment of pension, without complying with the provisions of these rules. In any such case, the Collector shall at once forward a copy of his order and a statement of the circumstances requiring it, and the Treasury Officer shall at once report the payment, to the Accountant –General"
- 4. Government are of the view that due to of urgency of providing quick relief to families of the deceased the provisions of TR-27 may be utilized for early payment of exgratia by the Collectors. Accordingly, Government hereby permit the District Collectors to draw the required funds under TR-27 wherever there is urgency to make payment of exgratia in cases of confirmed deaths due to heat wave / sun stroke after personal satisfaction.
- 5. All District Collectors and District Treasury Officers shall take necessary action accordingly.
- 6. This orders are issued with the concurrence of Finance (TFR) Department vide their U.O. Note No. 2895/114/TFR/15, Dt. 26.05.2015.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.C. SHARMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (DM)

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All the District Collectors in the State Revenue (CMRF) Department

Copy to:

P.S to Addl. Secy. to Hon'ble C.M

P.S to Prl. Secretary to Govt. Revenue (Land&DM),

Revenue (DM) Dept.

Finance (TFR) Dept.

Revenue (DM) Dept

The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, .AP., Hyderabad.

All the District Treasury Officers in the State

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**SECTION OFFICER**